

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A method for processing biometric information, comprising the steps of:

capturing a first biometric sample of a live subject from a single sensor device;
transmitting the first biometric sample from the sensor device to a processing component;
processing the first biometric sample by a first vendor's template generation biometric algorithm to yield a first reference template;
associating the first reference template with a record identifier;
processing the first biometric sample by a second vendor's template generation biometric algorithm to yield a second reference template; ~~and~~
associating the second reference template with the record identifier; and
processing a second biometric sample by a template generation algorithm to create a match template;
performing a comparison between the match template and one of the reference templates;
and
generating a score based on the comparison.

2. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising the steps of:
processing the first biometric sample by one or more additional vendor's biometric template generation algorithms to yield one or more additional reference templates; and
associating the one or more additional reference templates with the record identifier.